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For: MODULATORS OF THE FUNCTION)		
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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.322

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Randolph Building, Mail Stop Post Issue
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Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

In checking over the printed copy of the above-identified patent, we have found the following error that is the fault of the Patent and Trademark Office. It is respectfully requested that this error be corrected in accordance with 37 CFR §1.322(a). The error to be corrected is listed below.

On the cover, in section 30, Foreign Application Priority Data, the first Israeli application number should read --112002-- (and not 112022 as erroneously printed on the patent).

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The error in the Israeli application number was pointed out to applicants by the International Bureau on July 12, 1996, in PCT/US95/16542, with an indication that a certified copy of the correct priority application (112002) had been received by International Bureau. This error persisted when the international application entered the national stage in the U.S. as application 08/860,082, which application is the parent of the instant application. The error was corrected in this case by means of an amendment under 37 CFR §1.312, filed on August 4, 2004, which included a supplemental application data sheet correcting the Israeli priority application number.

On February 4, 2005, a Bibliographic Data Sheet was entered into the PTO record showing that the correct application number of the earliest Israeli priority application was 112002. A copy of this document, downloaded from the Public PAIR database, is attached hereto. Thus, it appears that the requested correction had been accepted and made in the PTO, but not before the present patent issued on October 26, 2004. This clearly establishes error on the part of the PTO, as applicant's timely filed amendment under 37 CFR 1.312 should have been accepted and entered prior to issuance of the patent.

We are attaching one copy of the Certificate of Correction form.

In accordance with MPEP §1480.01, in an effort to expedite processing of this request, also attached hereto is a copy of the amendment under 37 CFR §1.312 filed on August 4,

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2004, which includes a copy of the supplemental application data sheet and the notice from the International Bureau indicating the incorrect priority application number.

Granting of this request is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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